

OLYMPIC GAMES
MELBOURNE AUSTRALIA



1956



ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL

MAIN STADIUM
(Melbourne Cricket Ground)

SEMI-FINALS

Tuesday, 4th December and Wednesday, 5th December, 1956

OFFICIAL PROGRAMME - ONE SHILLING

Scoreboard Abbreviations

AFG.	Afghanistan	ISR.	Israel
ARG.	Argentine	ITA.	Italy
AUS.	Australia	JAM.	Jamaica
AUT.	Austria	JAP.	Japan
BAH.	Bahamas	KEN.	Kenya
BEL.	Belgium	KOR.	Korea
BER.	Bermuda	LEB.	Lebanon
BRA.	Brazil	LUX.	Luxembourg
BRG.	British Guiana	MAL.	Malaya
BUL.	Bulgaria	MEX.	Mexico
BUR.	Burma	NZL.	New Zealand
CAN.	Canada	NIG.	Nigeria
CEY.	Ceylon	NOB.	North Borneo
CHI.	Chile	NOR.	Norway
COL.	Colombia	PAK.	Pakistan
CUB.	Cuba	PAN.	Panama
CZS.	Czecho-Slovakia	PEK.	Peking China
DEN.	Denmark	PER.	Peru
ESP.	Spain	PHI.	Philippines
ETH.	Ethiopia	POL.	Poland
FIJ.	Fiji	POR.	Portugal
FIN.	Finland	PUR.	Puerto-Rico
FOR.	Formosa China	RUM.	Rumania
FRA.	France	SIN.	Singapore
GER.	Germany	SOA.	South Africa
GBI.	Great Britain and Northern Ireland	SWE.	Sweden
GRE.	Greece	SWI.	Switzerland
HOL.	Holland	THA.	Thailand
HOK.	Hong Kong	TRI.	Trinidad
HUN.	Hungary	TUR.	Turkey
ICE.	Iceland	UGA.	Uganda
IND.	India	USR.	U.S.S.R.
INA.	Indonesia	USA.	U.S.A.
IRN.	Iran	URU.	Uruguay
IRQ.	Iraq	VEN.	Venezuela
IRE.	Ireland	VET.	Viet-nam
		YUS.	Yugoslavia

Roll of Honour

In the Olympic Games there is no scoring by countries. A Roll of Honour in alphabetical order of names of the first six competitors in each event shall be compiled by the Organising Committee and delivered to the International Olympic Committee.

The Games of the
XVI OLYMPIAD
MELBOURNE 1956

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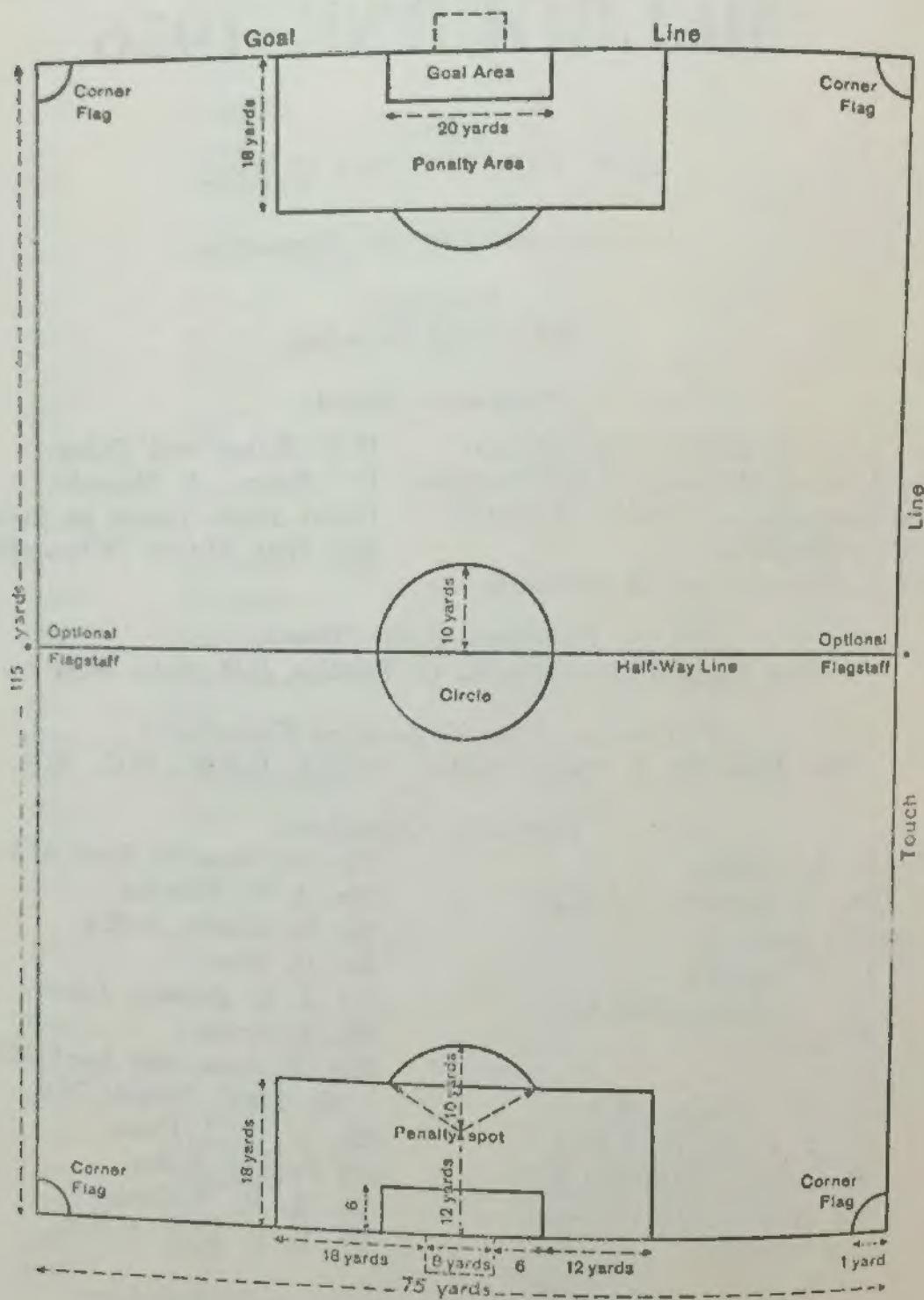
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THE FIELD OF PLAY.

The Field of Play and appurtenances shall be shown in the following plan:



Dimensions. The field of play shall be rectangular, its length being not more than 130 yards nor less than 100 yards and its breadth not more than 100 yards nor less than 50 yards.

The playing area at Olympic Park and Main Stadium is 115 yards x 75 yards.

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FOOTBALL

MAIN STADIUM

(Melbourne Cricket Ground)



SEMI-FINALS

Tuesday, 4th December, 4.30 p.m.

YUGOSLAVIA v. INDIA.

Wednesday, 5th December, 4.30 p.m.

U.S.S.R. v. BULGARIA.

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REFEREES:

E. Hecht, Australia; R. Wright, Australia; K. Urwin, Australia; D. Malcolm, Australia; R. Karney, Australia; R. H. Mann, Great Britain; S. Takenokoshi, Japan; N. Latrychev, U.S.S.R.; R. Lund, New Zealand; M. Swain, New Zealand; C. H. Wensveen, Indonesia.

Played under the Rules of the
FEDERATION INTERNATIONALE DE FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION

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FINALS, MAIN STADIUM.

Friday, 7th December, 1.30 p.m., for 3rd and 4th place.

Saturday, 8th December, 2.15 p.m., for 1st and 2nd place.

4.30 p.m.
5th Dec.

SEMI-FINAL

U.S.S.R. (USR)

Colours:—Shirt: Red.

Shorts: White.

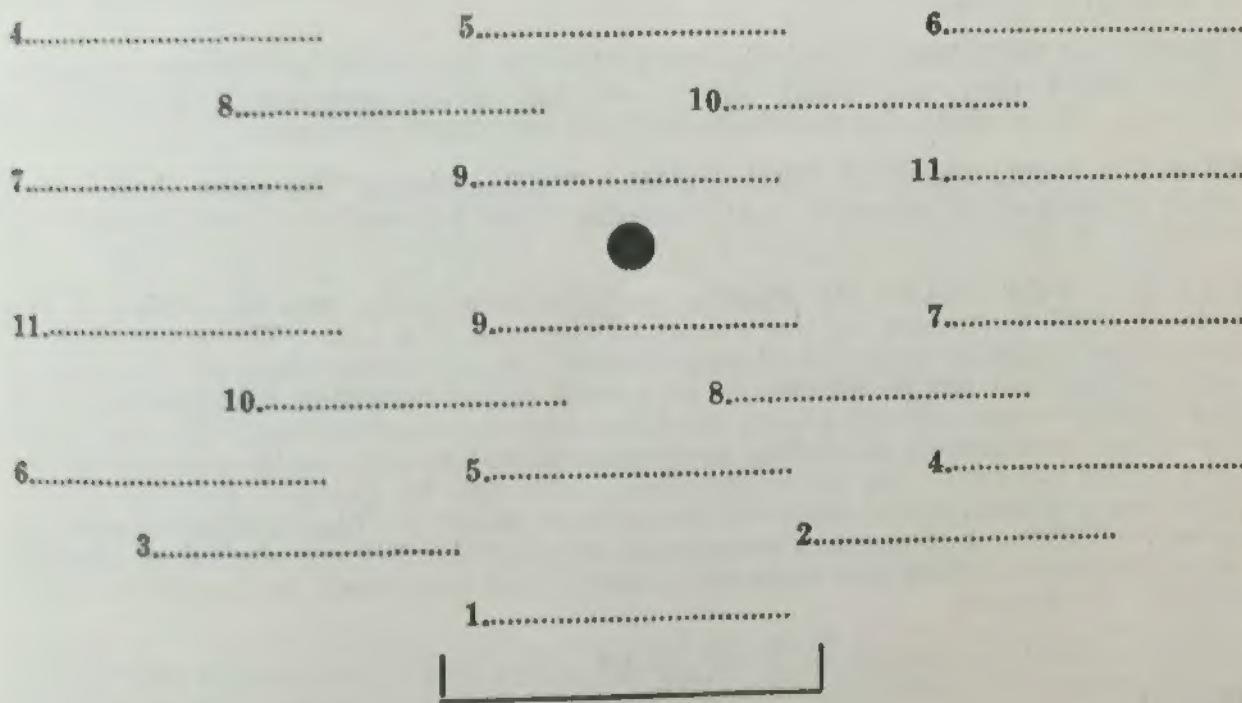
The teams will be selected from the following players:—

1. Iochine, L.
2. Rosinskii, B.
3. Tichenko, N.
4. Bachachkine, A.
5. Ogognikov, M.

6. Kouznetsov, B.
7. Paramonov, A.
8. Netto, I.
9. Maslenkine, A.
10. Betsa, I.

11. Tatouchine, B.
12. Issaev, A.
13. Simonian, N.
14. Salnikov, S.
15. Illine, A.

16. Ivanov, V.
17. Streltsov, E.
18. Ryjkine, V.
19. Beliaev, I.
20. Porkhounov, A.



BULGARIA (BUL)

Colours:—Shirt: White.

Shorts: White.

The teams will be selected from the following players:—

1. Yanev, K. I.
2. Stoyanov, G. T.
3. Diev, T. N.
4. Naydenov, G. S.
5. Stoyanov, D. M.

7. Kolev, I. P.
8. Yordanov, Y. Y.
10. Nikolov, M. G.
11. Rakarov, K. M.
12. Panayotov, P. M.

13. Manolov, M. T.
14. Kirtchev, L. K.
16. Kovatchev, N. D.
19. Mikolov, G. D.
20. Stefanov, S. B.

Referee: R. H. Mann, Great Britain.

Linesmen: R. Wright, Australia; C. H. Wensveen, Indonesia.

Half-time..... / Result..... / Winner.....

ABRIDGED LAWS.

LAW 2 — THE BALL. The ball shall be spherical (the circumference not more than 28in. nor less than 27in.); the weight at the start of the game not more than 16 oz. nor less than 14 oz.

LAW 3 — THE NUMBER OF PLAYERS. The game shall be played by two teams of eleven players, one of whom shall be the goalkeeper. One of the other players may change places with the goalkeeper, provided prior notice is given to the referee.

LAW 4 — PLAYERS' EQUIPMENT. A player shall not wear anything which is dangerous to another player. A goalkeeper shall wear colours which distinguish him from field players.

LAW 5 — REFEREES. A Referee shall:—(a) enforce the laws and decide any disputed point. His decision on points of fact connected with the play shall be final. (b) Keep a record of the game; act as timekeeper, adding to the full time all time lost through accident or other cause. (c) Have discretionary power to stop the game for any infringement, and to suspend or terminate the game whenever, by reason of the elements, interference by spectators, or other cause, he deems it necessary. (d) Have discretionary power to caution any player guilty of misconduct, and, if he persists, to suspend him from further participation in the game. (e) Allow no person other than players and linesmen to enter the field of play without his permission. (f) Stop the game if, in his opinion, a player has been seriously injured, and have the player removed from the field of play as soon as possible.

LAW 6 — LINESMEN. Two linesmen shall be appointed to indicate when the ball is out of play, and which side is entitled to the corner-kick, goal-kick, or throw-in. They shall also assist the Referee to control the game.

LAW 7 — DURATION OF THE GAME. The duration of the game shall be two equal periods of 45 minutes. At half-time, the interval shall not exceed five minutes.

LAW 8 — THE START OF PLAY. (a) Choice of ends, and the taking of the kick-off, shall be decided by the winner of the toss of a coin. The game shall be started by a player taking a place-kick into his opponents' half of the field of play, and it shall not be deemed in play until it has travelled the distance of its own circumference. Every player shall be in his own half of the field. (b) After a goal has been scored, play shall be re-started in like manner by a player of the team losing the goal. (c) After half-time, ends shall be changed, and the kick-off taken by a player of the opposite team to that of the player who started the game. (d) After a temporary suspension of play, the Referee shall drop the ball where it was when play was suspended, and it shall be deemed in play when it has touched the ground.

LAW 9 — BALL IN AND OUT OF PLAY. The ball is out of play when it has wholly crossed the goal-line or touch-line, or when the game has been stopped by the Referee.

LAW 10 — METHOD OF SCORING. A goal is scored when the whole of the ball has passed over the goal-line, between the goal-posts and under the cross-bar, provided it has not been propelled by hand or arm, by a player of the attacking side.

LAW 11 — OFF-SIDE. A player is off-side if he is nearer his opponents' goal-line than the ball AT THE MOMENT THE BALL IS PLAYED, unless:—(a) He is in his own half of the field of play. (b) Two of his opponents are nearer to their own goal-line than he is. (c) The ball last touched an opponent or was played by one. (d) He received the ball direct from a goal-kick, corner-kick, or throw-in. An indirect free kick shall be taken by a player of the opposing team from the place where an infringement occurs.

LAW 12 — FOULS AND MISCONDUCT. A player who intentionally commits any of the following nine offences shall be penalised by the award of a DIRECT free kick:—(a) Kicks or attempts to kick an opponent. (b) Trips an opponent. (c) Jumps at an opponent. (d) Charges an opponent in a violent or dangerous manner. (e) Charges an opponent from behind unless the latter be obstructing. (f) Strikes or attempts to strike an opponent. (g) Holds an opponent with his hand or arm. (h) Pushes an opponent with his hand or arm. (i) Carries, strikes, or propels the ball with his hand or arm (this does not apply to the goalkeeper within his own penalty area). Should a player of the defending side commit any of the above offences within the penalty area, he shall be penalised by a PENALTY kick.

A player committing any of the five following offences shall be penalised by an INDIRECT free kick:—(1) Playing in a manner considered dangerous by the Referee. (2) Charging in a fair manner, but when the ball is not within playing distance. (3) When not playing the ball, intentionally obstructing an opponent. (4) Charging the goalkeeper except when he is holding the ball, obstructing an opponent, or has passed outside his goal area. (5) Carrying the ball when playing as a goalkeeper, that is, taking more than four steps with the ball without bouncing it on the ground.

A player shall be cautioned, and an INDIRECT free kick awarded if:—(i) He persistently infringes the laws of the game. (ii) He shows, by word or action, dissent from the Referee's decision. (iii) He is guilty of ungentlemanly conduct.

A player shall be sent off the field of play if he is guilty of violent conduct, uses foul or abusive language, or is guilty of serious foul play.

LAW 13 — FREE KICKS. Free kicks shall be classified under two heads: DIRECT, from which a goal can be scored; and INDIRECT, from which a goal cannot be scored unless first touched by another player.

LAW 14 — PENALTY KICK. When a penalty kick is taken from the penalty mark, all players other than the player taking the kick and the opposing goalkeeper shall be outside the penalty area and at least 10 yards from the penalty mark. The goalkeeper must stand on his own goal-line between the goal-posts, and shall not move his feet until the ball is kicked.

LAW 15 — THROW-IN. When the ball passes over a touch-line, it shall be thrown in by a player of the team opposite to that of the player who last touched it. The feet of the thrower shall be either on or outside the line, he shall use both hands, and the ball shall be delivered over his head.

LAW 16 — GOAL KICK. When the ball passes over the goal-line, excluding that portion between the goal-posts, having last been played by one of the attacking team, it shall be kicked into play, beyond the penalty area, by a defender.

LAW 17 — CORNER KICK. When the ball passes over the goal-line, excluding that portion between the goal-posts, having last been played by one of the defending team, it shall be kicked into play by a member of the attacking team from within the quarter-circle at the nearest corner flag.

PREVIOUS OLYMPIC WINNERS.

1908—GREAT BRITAIN.	1928—URUGUAY.
1912—GREAT BRITAIN.	1936—ITALY.
1920—BELGIUM.	1948—SWEDEN.
1924—URUGUAY.	1952—HUNGARY.

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Transport Services

MAIN STADIUM (Melbourne Cricket Ground)

Opening and Closing Ceremonies, Athletics, Field Games including Football and Hockey Semi-finals and Finals. Take Trams east in Flinders Street or Trains from Princes Bridge Station to Jolimont Station.

OLYMPIC PARK

Cycling, Swimming, Diving, Football and Hockey preliminaries. Trams east in Batman Avenue.

BROADMEADOWS

Road Cycling. Trains from Flinders Street Station.

BALLARAT

Rowing and Canoeing. Trains from Spencer Street Station.

EXHIBITION BUILDING

Wrestling, Weightlifting and Basketball. Trams east in Bourke Street.

LAVERTON

Clay Pigeon Shooting. Trains from Spencer Street Station.

OAKLANDS

Modern Pentathlon, Riding. Cars from city.

St. KILDA TOWN HALL

Fencing. Trams from city along Swanston Street and St. Kilda Road. Trains to Balaclava Station from Flinders Street.

WEST MELBOURNE STADIUM

Boxing and Gymnastics. Buses from Elizabeth Street and Corner Flinders and Queen Streets.

WILLIAMSTOWN

Rifle Shooting. Trains from Flinders Street Station.

Yachting. (St. Kilda, Mid. Brighton and Sandringham).

Trains from Flinders Street Station. Trams from Swanston Street to St. Kilda and Brighton foreshores.

Frequent trains depart from City and Suburban Stations to most venues. Visitors are advised to ask if in any doubt regarding destination of trains trams or buses.

Photographs. Action Photographs taken by the Olympic Photo Association can be purchased at 314 Bourke Street, Melbourne, C.I. (These photographs are not available for reproduction).

Box Office. For details of tickets still available for all events apply to the Olympic Games Box Office, Tel. FB 044 or 314 Bourke Street.

OFFICIAL PROGRAMME OLYMPIC GAMES 1956

EVENT	NOVEMBER						DECEMBER						VENUE			
	22 Thur	23 Fri	24 Sat	26 Mon	27 Tue	28 Wed	29 Thu	30 Fri	1 Sat	3 Mon	4 Tue	5 Wed	6 Thu	7 Fri	8 Sat	
Opening Ceremony	A															Main Stadium
Athletics	MA	MA														Main Stadium
Basketball	N	M	N	M	M	M	M	M	M							Exhibition Annex
Fencing				MAN	MAN	MAN	MAN	MAN	MAN							St. Kilda Town Hall
Football (Soccer)	MA	MA								MAN	MAN	MAN	MAN			Main Stadium and Olympic Park
Modern Pentathlon	M	M								A	A	A	A			Oaklands Hunt Club and various arenas
Weight-lifting		AN	AN													Exhibition Building
Boxing		N	AN													West Melbourne Stadium
Hockey		SA	MA													Main Stadium and Olympic Park
Yachting																Port Phillip Bay
Shooting																Williamstown Range and R.A.A.F. Station, Laverton
Rowing		MA	MA													Lake Wendouree, Ballarat
Swimming																Olympic Park
Wrestling	S															Exhibition Building
Cycling																Olympic Park and country road course, Broadmeadows
Gymnastics																West Melbourne Stadium
Canoeing																Lake Wendouree, Ballarat
Demonstrations																Main Stadium
Closing Ceremony																Main Stadium

M — MORNING

A — AFTERNOON

N — NIGHT

□ — MAIN STADIUM (MELBOURNE CRICKET GROUND)

COMPETITION VENUES



1. **MAIN STADIUM** — Opening Ceremony, Athletics, Football (Soccer), Hockey (Finals), Demonstration and Closing Ceremony.
2. **OLYMPIC PARK** — Cycling, Football (Soccer), Hockey and Swimming.
3. **EXHIBITION BUILDING** — Wrestling and Weight-lifting, Modern Pentathlon, Fencing.
4. **EXHIBITION ANNEXE** — Basketball.
5. **WEST MELBOURNE STADIUM** — Boxing and Gymnastics.
6. **ST. KILDA TOWN HALL** — Fencing.
7. **WILLIAMSTOWN** — Shooting.
8. **R.A.A.F. STATION, LAVERTON** — Clay Pigeon Shooting.
9. **PORT PHILLIP BAY** — Yachting Course.
10. **BROADMEADOWS** — Cycling Road Race.
11. **OAKLANDS** — Modern Pentathlon, Riding Event.
12. **TO BALLARAT** — Rowing and Canoeing.